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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence
Deputy Director (Plans)
Deputy Director (Administration)
Deputy Director (Intelligence)
Director of Training
Assistant Director for Communications

SUBJECT : Delegations of Authority to Deputy Director (Plans)

1. This supplements the description of functions and delegation of authority contained in my memorandum of 15 July 1952, entitled "Organization of CIA Clandestine Services."

2. Subject to that memorandum, the authorities of the DD/P and of his Chief of Operations shall include all the authorities which the DD/P, the AD/GO and the AD/TC possessed under Agency regulations and directives on 31 July 1952.

3. The DD/P may delegate to the Chief of Operations and/or to the various staff *chiefs designated in Par 2d of* officers such of his authorities as may be appropriate, and may provide for their successive redelegation, when not prohibited or contrary to law or regulation.

4. This delegation of authority is effective 1 August 1952.

WALTER D. SMITH
Director of Central Intelligence

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